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HEADWATERS ALLIANCE SUPPORTS LOW LEVEL WASTE REFERENDUM

The Maine Nuclear Referendum Committee is presently initiating a referendum to insure that the voters of Maine will have the chance to approve or reject any plan proposed by the State Legislature for storage or disposal of low level radioactive waste. 50,000 signatures are needed to place the measure before the legislature, which the Committee hopes to do in January of 1985. If the legislature does not approve it, it will be placed on the ballot for a general election in the Fall of 1985. The question on the ballot will read, "Do you want the right to vote for or against any plan to store or dispose of low level radioactive waste?"

The Headwaters Alliance of the Sunday River, a Bethel area group formed to avert the choice of the local region for a nuclear dump site, has expressed strong support for this referendum drive. Alva Morrison, of the Headwaters Alliance, says: "This referendum is our best tool to insure that this waste is kept out of our area, and stored responsibly in an above-ground, engineered facility at the reactor site. Just the fact of its being initiated seems to be making our legislators more responsive to our ideas and suggestions." Morrison notes, however, that simply initiating the drive is not sufficient to bring about the desired results. "We've got to raise a lot of money to put this through," he says, "and we've got to get those 50,000 signatures, which will be no small task. We're counting on the people in areas like ours, which are being screened for dumping, to help carry this through."

The Headwaters Alliance will meet on Saturday, April 14, at 7 p. m., at the home of Greg and Robin Fraser, in Newry, to plan strategy for supporting the referendum drive. For information about how you can help, call the Frasers at 824-3361, or write the Maine Nuclear Referendum Committee at Box 2627, Augusta, Maine 04330.

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HONORED AT TESTIMONIAL BANQUET — On Saturday evening, April 7, Miss Jeri Brooks of Bethel was guest of honor at a testimonial banquet at the South Ridge Condominiums, Sunday River Skiway. About 200 American Legion and Auxiliary members and friends were present to honor Miss Brooks who is Department President of Maine. A Marine Corps color guard from Brunswick Naval Air Station presented the colors and dinner music was provided by the Air Force Band of New England's Brass Quintet from Pease Air Force Base. Miss Brooks is pictured above, left, as she received a joint resolution from the Maine House of Representatives and Senate honoring her "untiring efforts to our veterans, youth and community." The presentation was made by Representative Phyllis Irwin and Senator Irwin of Rumford.

COUNTY CONFERENCE HELD AT TELSTAR APRIL 7

The Oxford County Conference held on Saturday, April 7 at Telstar Regional High School attracted 150 participants for a day-long session devoted to issues relating to the family. Maine Supreme Judicial Court Chief Justice Vincent McKusick opened the Conference with a keynote address in which he inventoried the areas in which the court system impacted the family, and made a strong plea for preventive measures in the areas of family violence and drug and alcohol abuse, which prevent eventual court involvement. Morning workshops covered such areas as issues of Drug Availability and Supply in Oxford County, which was a panel presentation by U. S. Attorney for Maine Richard Cohen, Oxford County District Attorney Janet Mills, Sheriff Alton Howe, and Dr. Robert Carroll of South Paris. Cohen highlighted the fact that cocaine is the number one drug abuse problem currently in Maine, and points were made about the increase in smuggling of drugs, and the cultivation of marijuana in the local area. Dr.

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Carroll pointed out that financial greed is the prime motive in the drug area, and suggested stiffer penalties to impact drug profits, seizure of a dealer's assets and bail reform as possible solutions. Mexico High School principal Walter Buotte gave his dynamic presentation on Self-Esteem, which was praised by those attending, including members of the Telstar High School CADET team. Frank continued on Page Eight

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Directors' Meeting

The S.A.D. 44 Board of Directors met in regular session on Monday evening of this week at the Andover Elementary School.

Darlene Hall of Andover was elected to serve as chairman of the Board and Stanley R. Howe, Bethel, as vice chairman, for the ensuing year. Mrs. Hall, a member of the Board since March of 1976, served as vice chairman for the past year. Dr. Howe was elected as a Director in March of 1983.

Prior to the start of the meeting, Robin Gundersen, Notary Public, administered the oath of office to five Directors elected in March. Being sworn in were re-elected members Desda Fogg of Andover, Harry Swan of Greenwood, and Sheryl Willbur of Woodstock; together with newly-elected members Alvin Barth and John K. Brown of Bethel. Richard McVey, the new member from Newry was not present to be sworn in.

Catherine Newell was approved as Director of Adult and Community Education, and Patricia Pratt as Coordinator of Pupil Personnel Services, for fiscal year 1985.

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MOLLYCOKETT DAY COMMITTEE HOLDS INITIAL MEETING

In preparation for the 1984 Mollycokett Day festivities (July 21, 1984) the Bethel Lions Club held its first meeting of the Mollycokett Day Committee on Monday, April 9. This year's chairman, Peter Anderson, got the ball rolling with committee assignments and tasks were distributed among the various members. Some of the preliminary committees and chairmen are as follows: Chairman overall, Peter Anderson; Co-Chairman, Ed Friel; Advertising and program booklet, Howard Donahue; Common set-up, Arts and Crafts and Booths will be coordinated by Howard Donahue, Jay Willard and Gene Kelly; Bicycle events, Byron Lapham; Fiddler's contest, Ed Friel; Mollycokett Day parade is in the able hands of Dale Thurston; selection of Princess Mollycokett, Elden Hathaway. Obviously all these committee members will be assisted by all other Lions Club members. As other committees are formed and plans are made, the information will be passed on. To date the theme has not been chosen for this year's festivities, so if there are any suggestions, please don't hesitate to contact any Lions Club member.

Mollycokett Day this year will be on Saturday, July 21. The Bethel Lions Club hopes that everyone will participate in the days festivities. The Club would like to see some of that old competitive spirit among local clubs, organizations, and businesses re-kindled with the entry of floats. All Clubs, organizations and businesses should plan on making this annual celebration the big event of the summer in the Bethel area.

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SAD #44 HOLDS PRE SCHOOL REGISTRATION — Students en- tering SAD #44 kindergarten clas-

ses next fall attended registration this week. On Monday and Tuesday those entering Bethel School were at the Bethel American Legion Hall for screening. Margie Bartlett, District Nurse, (above, left) is using the Timus vision machine to test Alicia Taylor, who was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Linda A. Smith, (right) of West Bethel.

The six-month transition period tax assessments are nearly complete and it is anticipated that tax bills will be in the mail this week. These monies will pay for Jan. 1 through June 30, 1984, municipal services approved by Town Meeting vote on March 20, as the Town changes from a calendar fiscal year to a July 1 to June 30 accounting period.

Since the transition period is a unique one-of-a-kind item, we have attempted to lay out anticipated questions that might arise and provide information that will facilitate planning. Anyone with additional questions is invited to call the Town Office, 824-2669, where every effort will be made to provide the information needed. "When are my taxes due?" Taxes may be paid at any time. However, pursuant to Town Meeting action, the interest free period continued on Page Five

Friday Flooding
Heavy rains last Thursday evening and early Friday caused streams in this area to overflow their banks. Route 26 between the CNR tracks and Alder River bridge was flooded, water reaching the parking lots at the Bethel Mall and the SAD 44 Bus Garage. The road to Middle Intervale was under water at its junction with Sunset Road. Some roads in the Greenwood area were reported as under three feet of water. Town roads in many locations suffered damage due to the rain and flooding conditions. Other areas throughout the northeast were experiencing similar conditions.

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TELSTAR GUIDANCE NEWS

The month of April will bring a lot of Guidance sponsored activities to students at Telstar. These activities will range from: "Career Week"—a four day job shadow/work experience; aptitude testing; scheduling courses for the '84-'85 school year; job search workshops for seniors; as well as careers, military services and post secondary school resource orientation of the Guidance Information System (GIS) computer for freshmen and more.

Currently 29 seniors have received college acceptance news. Many members of the Class of '84 have received admissions news from in-state schools such as U.M.F., U.S.M., U.M.O., New England School of Broadcasting (Bangor), Univ. of New England (Biddeford), and U.M.P.I. Out-of-state schools accepting Telstar seniors are: Plymouth State College (N.H.), Benedict College (Mass.), Johnson & Wales College (R.I.), Quinnipiac College and Anna Maria College (Mass.), University of Bridgeport (Conn.) and Rochester Tech. Institute (N.Y.). The academic majors these seniors will be studying include: Business Administration, Automotive, Medical Lab. Technician, Computer Science, Communications / Broadcasting, Elementary and Secondary Education, Law Enforcement, Fashion and Retail Merchandising, Graphic Arts, Photography, Psychology and Liberal Arts.

This week Juniors and Seniors are job shadowing a variety of careers throughout Bethel, Oxford County, Maine and Massachusetts. Telstar students are supervised by work site employers and Telstar faculty advisors while they work up to 20 hours over this four day period. Career Week students return to school on Friday to turn in their completed career project materials. The Career Week projects will be selected after April vacation.

The Guidance Office now has available summer job applications for the Youth Conservation Corps program offered through the Evans-Notch Ranger District, Bethel. This program is for students between the ages of 15 and 18. Five students will be selected this year for their eight week program running from July 2 through Aug. 24. Projects such as maintaining hiking and snowmobile trails and repairing shelters will be undertaken. The deadline for completed applications is Friday, April 13.

Guidance also has available summer job applications for students between the ages of 14 and 21 who are economically disadvantaged and qualify for the Mountain Valley Summer Youth Employment Program. Students should pick up applications this week—interviews for applicants will take place at the high school on Tuesday, April 24.

In addition to the above mentioned jobs, notices have been received from the Farmwood Summer Camp for Girls, Oxford. They have seven kitchen and dining room openings for boys and girls wishing to work between July 17 & Aug. 25. Also, The Kappaw Camp for Girls in Winthrop, is looking to fill the following positions: kitchen helpers, utility person, laundry person, junior counselor and office assistant, junior counselor and waterfront assistant. Students should see Mr. Hart for details if interested in any of these programs or positions.

CARD OF THANKS

Many thanks to those members of the Bethel community who attended the Testimonial Banquet this past week end but more importantly for all the support given me through my tenure as Department President of the American Legion Auxiliary, Department of Maine.

Special thanks to Sunday River Ski Resort, D. W. McKee's, Sunday River Inn, Cheryl Lord, Tim Kavanagh, Dave Tripp, Gertrude Hutchins, Leona Flint, and members of Mundt-Allen Post and Unit, #81.

It goes without saying that the evening will long be remembered. Thanks one and all.

Jeri Brooks
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Mark and Alice visited with Woody and Sylvia Mencia in Rumford Center on Monday. Beverly Cameron and Alice Harvey were shopping in Berlin one day last week.

The Tuesday ladies met at the Hall with a good attendance, including Beverly. Nice to have you back, Bev.

Mrs. Bob Broad is at home after spending several months in the hospital.

The Bragg family were in Rockport for the Miss Teen of Maine Pageant. Their daughter, Cindy, was a participant in the pageant. Danny and Donna visited with Mark and Alice on Saturday afternoon.

Robert Glover spent the week end with the Mullens family in Dummer.

David Fulton and daughter of Virginia visited with friends in the area over the week end. David was a former teacher at the Magalloway School.

Upton

Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres.

Rains last week brought much flooding including Grafton Notch which was impassable for a time. When the waters receded, the shoulders of the road also left.

This flood reminded us old timers of the '36 flood when Grafton Notch road was nearer to the river. At that time, the mail was delivered by the mailman lugging the bags across via the piles of pulpwood and being met on the other side. Also, that spring, Ruth DeCoteau, Extension Service Agent got to a meeting by crossing the flood waters in a row boat.

A sales pamphlet offered bush-wackers and brushwackers and I consulted Webster as to whether there was a different spelling for whack than I was aware of. I found that whack is not a word according to Webster, but whack off has a meaning quite different from any I knew.

The Gardening Course has been postponed for two weeks because the Extension Agent has a week's vacation, followed by school vacation. Sessions will be resumed the last week of April.

The Bergerons went to Boston Thursday to take his sister to the airport. They reported a strenuous trip because of heavy continuous rain and they did not linger anywhere.

We still have a ground cover of snow in Upton although a few bare spots are evident.

Jeff Yates got the last of his wood and equipment moved Wednesday—just in the nick of time.

Needed for a few days yet is the non-prescription medication with the non-Latin name of dental tenority.

CARD OF THANKS

Thank you for all the thoughtful and kind deeds for our daughter and sister, Shant and family, during both her stays in the hospital and since her return home. Special thanks to Joyce, Lil and Cindy.

Frank and Christine
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NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Pine Grove Cemetery Association will be held Tuesday, April 17, at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Arthur Gilbert, West Bethel. Anyone interested in the maintenance of the cemetery is urged to attend, whether or not they are presently a member of the association. Any items on lots at the cemetery not removed by May 14 will be discarded during spring clean-up. 14-15 Frances Clark, Secretary

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Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Cor.

On Friday evening Mrs. Beatrice Dresser received a telephone call from her grandson John Grover who was on a business trip to Stockholm, Sweden. He was checking on his aunt, Elizabeth Cutting, who is a surgical patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway. No school Friday because of high water which made the children all happy.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston and sons, Danny, Jon and Kurt left Friday afternoon to spend the week end in Arundel guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Thurston and family. Mrs. Mary Thurston returned home with them after visiting in Arundel for two weeks.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cutting underwent surgery on April 4 at Stephens Memorial Hospital. At this writing she is in Intensive Care Unit.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Tucker had a quiet three day celebration last week at their home. On April 5, Linwood celebrated his 77th birthday; April 6 they celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary, and on April 7, Mrs. Tucker celebrated her 78th birthday. They received many cards of good wishes and gifts.

Mrs. Eva Bodwell and Allen spent the week end in Kittery visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hilton and family, after Allen visited his doctor in Portland.

Rev. Mariotte Churchill's sermon topic on Sunday, April 8, at the First Congregational Church, was "Are You The King of Jews?"

Greeters were Florence Hall and Anne Fox. Florence Hall brought her beautiful amaryllis that she had raised, which everyone appreciated. Greeters for Sunday, April 15, Palm Sunday, will be Rosemary Casavant and sons, Duwayne and George. Anyone wishing to donate flowers in memory of someone for the Easter service, please see Jane Rich. You may bring your own lilies or flowers, or donate money for purchase of flowers which will then be distributed to the sick and shut-ins after the Easter service.

Miss Jodi Deans has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Deans, before returning to college in Biddeford.

Elderwood Manor Items

Mr. and Mrs. Norman White took Mrs. Bernice Glover and Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett for a ride on Sunday to Togus and Augusta.

Tiffanie and Christopher Marston of Hollis spent Sunday with Aunt "Fannie" Hall while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marston attended the funeral of her aunt in Rumford.

Mrs. Louise Powell visited her

SENIOR CITIZEN MENUS

Monday, April 16: Holiday!

Tuesday, April 17: Pork chops, scalloped potatoes, squash, applesauce and cookies, bread.

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The Daughters of Union Veterans met at the Grange Hall on Monday, April 9, for a regular meeting. Guard was Beatrice Farum, Hazel and Verna thanked the Tent for sending them to the patriotic get-together and told what a good time they had. Memorial plans were discussed. Food sale and white elephant table: anyone wishing to have a table to sell their items may buy one. This sale will be May 2. Call 665-2460 for information. A poem was read by Alice Wardwell, written by Clayton Ring to his mother who he was in the war. Hazel Brooks read a piece "The March to Coon." Voted to give to Cancer Drive. Next meeting May 14. Tasting party.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Glines, Jonathan and Jolyn, Danbury, N. H. Sunday guests were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring, Freeport, and Alan Ring and two friends, Freeport. Monday guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. Lord, Wilton.

Each Wednesday at 10 a. m., a Christian Women's Fellowship Group meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Keniston. All are welcome to come.

The Avana Olympics are Saturday at 1 p. m. at Waterville. Tuesday, April 17, Sunday School teachers meeting. Wednesday, April 18, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Zinke, missionaries to Japan, will speak at the Baptist Church. April 22, special musical service and Easter slide-tape play at 6 p. m.

On Wednesday, April 18, at 11 a. m. the Extension will meet at the home of Barbara Hathaway on Rumford Ave. An Italian dinner will be served by Susan Glines and Linda Stowell. In the afternoon a program on Fire Safety will be presented by Kaye Billings and Florence Page. Everyone interested is invited to attend.

Monday, April 16, is Grange Open House at 7:30 p. m. The public is invited to attend. A Community Award will be presented. Refreshments will be served.

mother, Mrs. Alma Hewey, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Glover called on his mother, Mrs. Bernice Glover on Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Jaro called on Det. Elliott one afternoon this week. Mrs. Mary Smith had lunch with her aunt, Mrs. Georgie Fraser, a couple of days this week.

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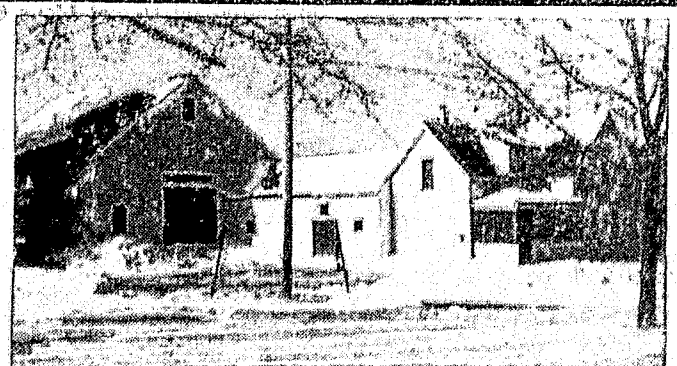
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Children's Center

Thanks to the huge efforts of the Center's parent group, Tuesday's "Grandparents' Day" was a great success. After assembling at 10 a. m., Linda Hathaway Stowell read the following poem she'd written to welcome the grandparents:

Hello to all you Grandparents
From near and far away.
We're so glad that you could be here

For this very special day.
We're sure that you must know by now

That this is a busy place.
But amid all the activity,
Each child can find his space.

We've planned a little program
That we hope you will enjoy
For we do a lot of things

With each and every girl and boy.
Our time is passing quickly
As we finish out this year

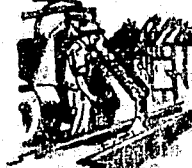
But without all of you grandparents
These children wouldn't be here!

A music circle of the children's favorite songs were sung before the different learning areas were opened for a time of activity. The parent group fixed a luncheon of sandwiches, fruit salad, cheese and crackers, with cookies made by the children for dessert.

Though the goals this week focused on planting, the children began several weeks ago by planting marigold seeds. With the help of Groom and McGurn's greenhouses, the marigolds were "up" and ready to be presented to parents and grandparents on their Special Day. (Thank you, Karen and Cindy.)

Guests on Grandparents' Day: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane, Velma Laughton, Geraldine Lupton, Bob and Betty Mills, Barbara Wheeler, Gwen Stecher, Rachel Bilo-deau, Howard Blaisdell, Marilyn Wheeler, Ginger Kelly, George and Harriet Stowell, Elden and Barbara Hathaway, Howard and Kay Phillips, Yvonne Sessions, Evelyn McGilvray, Lula Merrill, Jean Grover, Merton Brown, Geneva Goddard.

Parents attending were: Dawn Gross, Debi Fillmore, Cindy Ryerson, Kathy Laughton and Jeff,



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BOYS STATE delegates and alternates for 1984 from Telstar Regional High School are, left to right: front row—Mike McGuire, Ken Whitney, Bruce Barth and Brandon Salway; back row—Shawn Smith, Alan Verrill, Brent Bachelder, Don Barker, and Jake Schachter.

This year the Bethel area is fortunate to have five Juniors being sponsored to represent their town at Boys State, as follows: Brandon Salway, son of David and Norma Salway of Bethel (sponsor, Bethel Rotary Club); Brent Bachelder, son of Reginald and Karlene Bachelder of Newry (sponsor, Mumfitt-Allen Post #81); Shawn Smith, son of Nelson and Betty Smith of Gilead (sponsor, Mumfitt-Allen Post #81); Bruce Barth, son of Al Barth of Bethel (co-sponsors, Bethel Lions Club and Gould Academy); Ken Whitney, son of Muriel Whitney (sponsor, The Bethel Merchants).

Sponsored by the Town of Andover is Jacob Schachter, son of Gerald and Rebecca Schachter. Alternates for each of the previously mentioned boys are Don Barker, son of Bradley and Judith Barker of Bethel and Michael McGuire, son of Paul McGuire and Jean McGuire, both of Bethel.

This year's Jackson-Silver Post #68 delegate is Alan Verrill of Woodstock. He is the son of Leon and Marguerite Verrill. Michael Verrill will serve as Alan's alternate. Michael is a resident of Woodstock, the son of Harold and Betty Verrill.

All of these boys were chosen on the basis of leadership, scholarship, loyalty, honor, friendship and service to school. Boys State will be held this June at the University of Maine at Orono. It is a program which supplements the participants' high school courses in government and how it functions. In this program students role-play as they learn to campaign for local, county and state offices and then organize and carry out the functions of state government.

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Miss Jodey Kimball is being sponsored by Bethel American Legion Auxiliary Unit #81. Jodey is the daughter of Harry Kimball and Nancy Morin, both of Bethel. Her alternate, Miss Judith Hutchinson, is a resident of Bethel, the daughter of Richard and Corrie Hutchinson.

Miss Patricia Lynn Mills, daughter of Roger and Dorothy Mills, is

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Grade 11: 1st Honors—Jodey Kimball, Alan Verrill, Kenneth Whitney, Keith Wight; 2nd Honors—Melinda Wilson; 3rd Honors—

being sponsored by the Town of Andover and the Oxford County Council, American Legion Auxiliary.

Jackson-Silver Post Auxiliary Unit #68 will sponsor the daughter of Greenwood residents Robert and Phyllis Coolidge, Miss Lee-Ann Coolidge. Lee-Ann's alternate is Miss Leigh Whitman, daughter of Herbert and Carol Whitman of Bryant Pond.

All girls chosen for this honor rank in the top half of their class and were selected on the basis of leadership, character and honesty, cooperativeness, community participation and service.

—Jon Akers, Donald Barker, Bruce Barth, Nancy Blais, Brenda Bolio, Susan Cole, Vicki Myers, Amy Otero-Otero, Leigh Whitman.

Grade 12: 1st Honors—Chris Davis, Lisa Newell, Cheryl Parker; 2nd Honors—Stephanie Smith; 3rd Honors—Valerie Cole, Belissa Corriveau, Jeff Durham, Gerri Gauthier, Georgia Gould, Kevin Hughes, Eric Hutchins, William Judson, Laurie Kimball, Jodi Martin, Samantha Merrill, Vanessa Noyes, Michelle Sweetser, Mitchell Sweetser, Debbie Wright.

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West Bethel

Michael Stowell of Danbury, Conn., spent Friday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stowell, Jason and Jocelyn, were also overnight guests, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. David Head of the Andover Post Office and Caroline Merrill of West Bethel spent several days last week in Springfield, Mass., at the Northeast Training Seminar for Postmasters.

Peter Stowell of Augusta was a Sunday dinner guest of the George Stowells, also Brian and Linda Stowell, Sarah and Rachel, and Michelle Bennett.

North Waterford

— Mrs. Jo Sanderson, Cor.

Many from here, attended the Mock Ho Haw Show at the Legion Hall in Norway, Friday night. It was a full house. The donations go for scholarships.

We are proud to report that one of our girls, Theresa Jones was one of the 40 all over the United States to be selected to go to Valley Forge, Pa., to attend American Youth Conference the week of April 12. Theresa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Jones of Norway. George is a member of the Stone-Smart Post #82.

Clyde Stanton, Jr., called on his sister-in-law, Gwen Pike, Saturday while in Bridgton on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stanton Jr. attended the testimonial for the State President of the American Legion Auxiliary, Miss Jean Brooks which was held at Sunday River Skiway Lodge. Some 207 people from all over Maine attended in spite of the weather.

The heavy rain Friday washed out several driveways here, and did a lot of damage to the roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown had to remove the motor from their furnace and all the food from their freezer, Friday, due to high water in their cellar.

A lady once said: If you can't say something nice about the weather, let's talk about our kids.

WINDY VALLEYS

SNOWMOBILE CLUB

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club will have a pot luck supper meeting at the Club Room in North Newry at 6:30 Thursday evening, April 19—please bring cutlery and plates. On Saturday, April 21, the Club will have their annual Clean Up of Route 26 from Bear River through Grafton Notch, and the Sunday River Road. Anyone who has bottles, paper, or cans to donate either leave at the roadside for collection, or call Bill at 824-2262 or Sylvia at 824-2320.

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North Paris

— Evaline B. Vatcher, Corres.

Has everybody got bailed out and righted around after the deluge of rain water? Water is a necessary part of our diet but we don't need an overflow.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Lena Cushman in her passing.

Evaline B. Vatcher moved to North Paris, 38 years ago April 6, and the wind blew a gale and ground was bare and the sand from the street blew around like mad. There have been a lot of changes over the years. A new bridge below the Community Hall was a much needed improvement and now we will have a new road that will mean the loss of the Country Store, but nearly every family has a car now so shopping isn't a problem.

The Community Club met at Joe Vatcher's on Wednesday, April. Voted to have our first supper on Saturday, April 21, from 5 to 6 p. m. We will be glad to greet our friends from all around with our usual good feed. No shortages this time, but pies.

Evaline has been busy, getting ready to have some more copies made of her story "Old Days on the Farm"

Callers at Lawrences: Rhoda Vatcher, Lloyd Huntley, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher, Arnold Coffin, Nancy Mason, Heather and Sierra, Ellen Coffin, Jeanne Millett, Sally Wilson, Lena Dean.

The North Paris Country Store is being demolished and by the time you read these items it will be totaled or nearly so.

The Vatchers went out Friday to all the water spots and eventually they got to Fryeburg to see if their friend, Freddie Woods, was flooded. He was O.K. but water

North East Lovell

— Pauline Smith, Corres.

Linda Allen and Scottie had dinner with Iva and Fred Monday night.

Barbara Lemay's sister (twins) is visiting her from Massachusetts.

Linda Allen, son Scottie, took their mother and visited Jack and Beverly Bassett and Mrs. Donna Woodward and children Monday night.

Cent Yemma and Jennie Adams called on Iva Fox, Tuesday.

Raymond and Troy Fox from Norway spent the week end here with their father, Larry, and wife, Heidi's Pond Road.

Leroy and Pauline Smith called on their daughter, Carolyn Knights in Oxford on Friday.

Scottie Allen visited his grandmother, Iva Fox, Friday.

The past week Pauline and Leroy Smith visited Dot Smith, Nedora Charles and Raymond of North Fryeburg.

The rains came—we are glad not to be on a river. School closed as some roads were under water.

Leroy and Pauline Smith had a card from B. Cadigan, who has been sick with a heart attack. Glad he's better.

Janett Hill has returned from Bridgton hospital.

Larry Fox, wife and boys had supper at his twin sister's Linda Allen Sunday night. A party for Troy's birthday.

was within 10 feet of his trailer. When they came back through Snow Falls at 4 p. m. the water had receded and the road was all dry.

Road work was resumed this Monday morning after being shut down due to heavy rain.

It's time to think of the Easter Parade.

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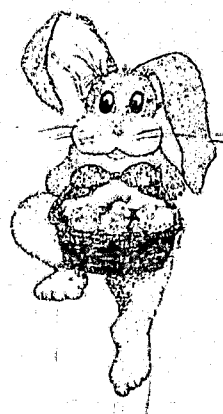
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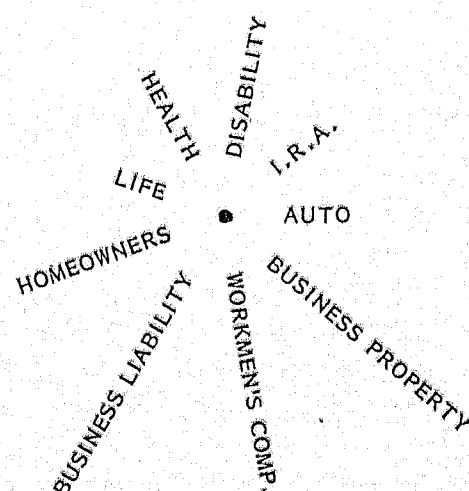
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HISTORICAL SOCIETY HELD COLLECTOR'S NIGHT APRIL 5

Despite heavy rains, over 50 members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society gathered at the Dr. Moses Mason House meeting room for the April monthly meeting and the annual collector's night, Thursday evening, April 5. Some 20 individuals brought at least one item from their collections of items from the past from post cards to wooden carpenter tools to flat irons. Each collector was asked to describe items from his or her collection. In addition, four short films featuring collections or relating to collectors were shown. A popular favorite was the Canadian Film Board production "Steady as She Goes" concerning the art of placing model ships in bottles. This was followed by "Granny's Quills" which focuses upon the art of the veteran quill-maker. The manufacturer of Waterford crystal was featured in "Conquest of Light" and a film about one of the world's greatest collectors, "The Smithsonian Institution" completed the program. During the business portion of the meeting President Donald G. Bennett announced that the "gift of the month" was a framed pen and ink sketch of the Olson farm, East Bethel, one of Bethel's oldest buildings. This was sketched by Joyce Hallway and was the gift of Melvin Olson in memory of his father, Jorgen Olson. The next meeting was announced for May 3 and will feature Billee Hornbeck, Staff Archaeologist for the White Mountain National Forest who will make a presentation entitled "Oxford County Vignettes." Society Director Stanley Howe called attention to the publication "Maine History News" the publication of the Maine League of Historical Societies and Museums for anyone who might be interested in subscribing so that they might receive their own personal copy. He said that the Society subscribes and anyone interested may see it during regular business hours. He

BUCK-MARTIN ENGAGEMENT

Raymond and Beatrice Buck of Bethel are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Catherine Buck to Frank P. Martin VI of Ann Arbor, Mich. Mr. Martin is the son of Frank P. Martin V of Cedar Falls, Iowa and Clare A. Martin of Michigan City, Ind.

Ms. Buck is a graduate of Gould Academy and holds a degree in Psychology from the University of Southern Maine and a Masters in Social Work from the University of Michigan. She is currently working as a research assistant at the Institute for Social Research in Ann Arbor, Mich. Mr. Martin holds a degree in Psychology from Indiana University and is pursuing a Ph.D. at Carnegie-Mellon University in Pittsburgh. He is currently employed as a research assistant at the Institute for Social Research in Ann Arbor.

A June wedding is planned.

also called attention to the Maine Citizens for Historic Preservation conference to be held in Worcester, Mass., April 26-28 focussing on the topic "Preservation in New England." Anyone interested in attending should call the Society office for details (824-2908).

The Society Director announced the historical footnote of the month was brought to his attention by Society member Mary Valentine. When the Second Congregational Church in the Mayville section of Bethel was organized in 1849, Nathan F. Twitchell, a carpenter and builder by trade, was elected one of the deacons. At the time of the Church's construction, Nathan's son, Joseph Maynard, was 20 years old and his father, 53. Joseph Maynard Twitchell was selected to climb the steeple and put on the weathervane. Years later when lightning struck the steeple, the weathervane was removed and a member of Nathan's family took it home to Melrose,

GOSPEL MUSIC CONCERT AT RUMFORD CORNER, APRIL 14

A gospel music concert will be held on Saturday, April 14, at 7 p. m. at the Rumford Area Bible Speaks, Route 232, Rumford Corner. Featured groups will be: The Knights, The Spirit of Grace, and The Solid Rock Quartet. The Knights, a husband and wife duo from Rumford have just completed their first professional tape recording and will be singing selections from their tape in addition to other contemporary Christian music.

The Spirit of Grace and The Solid Rock Quartet come from South Berwick, and have performed throughout New England. In addition to traditional gospel music, they will also be entertaining with more contemporary selections.

Following the concert, Pastor Tom Schaller will be speaking. Pastor Schaller is the Director of Missionary Outreach at the headquarters of the Bible Speaks World Outreach Ministry and a teacher at the Stevens School of the Bible in Lenox, Mass. He was just returned from Finland and Sweden and he has also served in the mission field in India, Poland and the U.S.S.R.

Massachusetts since the steeple was demolished and never rebuilt. The weathervane passed to another generation and in 1908 was given to Union B. Twitchell, the grandson of Nathan F. Twitchell, who stored it in his cellar at 30 Frances Street, Melrose.

When the Unitarian Church was built in Melrose (now the Unitarian-Universalist Church) Union B. Twitchell served on the building committee and offered the weathervane that once stood on the steeple in Bethel to that church. They accepted it and he took it to Boston where it was guided to replace its black paint. On completion of the church it was mounted on that steeple as it once was in Bethel. Today it can be seen from many parts of the city of Melrose, Mass. Refreshments and a social hour followed the program.



HOLY WEEK CELEBRATED IN BOLSTER'S MILLS, SOUTH WATERFORD & WATERFORD

On Thursday, April 19, at 7:30 p. m. a Service of Holy Communion will be held at the Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church. The candlelit remembrance of the Last Supper will be led by Rev. David W. Helms, Pastor of the Bolster's Mills and South Waterford United Methodist Churches. All are welcome.

On Friday, April 20, Rev. Helms will represent the two churches at a Union Service sponsored by the Oxford Hills Clergy Association at 4:15 p. m. at the Second Congregational Church of Norway, Rev. Helms will preach one of the sermons commemorating the crucifixion of Jesus.

At 4:45 a. m. on Sunday, April 22, members and friends of the Waterford Congregational Church will join the Bolster's Mills and

AREA CHURCHES OBSERVE HOLY WEEK

Several special services of worship are being offered by local churches during the week to come. Everyone in the community is encouraged to attend one or several of the following services:

Maundy Thursday, April 19: 6 p. m. A fellowship supper with communion will be held at the West Parish Congregational Church, joining with the congregations of the United Methodist Church and the West Bethel Union Church.

7:30 p. m. The Mission Congregational Church of West Paris will host the Locke Mills Union Church for a Tenebrae Service.

Good Friday, April 20: 7:30 p. m. The Bethel Area Clergy Association invites the community to a remembrance of Christ's Passion. This service will be held at the United Methodist Church.

Holy Saturday, April 21: 7 p. m. An Easter Cantata will be performed at the Locke Mills Union Church, to which the public is invited.

Easter Sunday, April 22: 5 a. m. The Locke Mills Union Church will celebrate the Resurrection at the Mt. Abram Cemetery.

6 a. m. An Easter Sunrise Service will be held at the Albany Congregational Church, to which members of the Oxford County United Parish are invited. The service will be followed by a breakfast.

6:30 a. m. The Newbury Community Church will hold a sunrise service at Mother Walker Falls, followed by a pot luck breakfast at Owen and Sue Wright's.

6:30 a. m. Local clergy will lead a sunrise service at the top of Barker Mountain. Those attending are urged to be at the lift at Sunday River Ski Area before 6 a. m. The Ski Lodge will serve breakfast at nominal prices at 7:00 and sponsor an Easter Egg Hunt for the children at 8:30 following the service.

In addition to these special services, there will be worship at the regular times at local churches on Easter morning.

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SPECIAL MISSION RECOGNITION AWARDS were given to Muriel Faudi (left) and Ethel Ward (center) by the United Methodist Women. Lyndell Carter (right), Vice President presented the pins to President Muriel Faudi, and former Secretary Ethel Ward, at the April 5 meeting. These awards were for service and performing outstanding duties for the Bethel United Methodist Church.

South Waterford Churches in an Easter Sunrise Service at the crest of Coolidge Hill, one mile east of South Waterford's Wesleyan Chapel on Sodom Road, Pastors David Helms and Linda Jones will officiate at the service. Breakfast will follow. All are welcome.

Family Easter Worship will be celebrated at 9:30 a. m. in South Waterford, 10 a. m. in Waterford and 11 a. m. in Bolster's Mills.

and hope in its midst. When Fuller returned to the U. S. after three years in Zaire, he and friends organized Habitat for Humanity, Inc., to continue and spread the good work.

Look in these pages next week for a second article about this organization, for it has been selected to receive the offering which will be taken at the community Good Friday Service, 7:30 p. m., at the Bethel United Methodist Church. Also ask your pastor or Brendon Bass (824-2653) for more information about this unique ministry.

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CHURCH HISTORY FILMS AT RUMFORD CORNER, APRIL 14
The Rumford Area Bible Speaks will be sponsoring a film festival on Church History, Saturday, April 14, from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. Through the five films to be shown, the viewer will see an amazing connecting thread of faith stretching over several generations.

The films to be featured during the day are "John Wycliffe, The Morning Star"; "John Hus"; "Where Luther Walked"; "First Fruits" (the beginnings of the modern Christian movement); and "John Wesley".

A Bohemian Prayer Book dated 1672 shows an illustration of John Wycliffe igniting a spark, John Hus kindling the coals, and Martin Luther holding a flaming torch. This old illustration could be updated with the spiritual descendants of John Hus (the Moravians depicted in "First Fruits") carrying forth the lighted torch into world wide missions.

In addition, John Wesley was led to his conversion experience through the influence of the Moravians. Viewers of these films will be led to a gripping new awareness and appreciation of their spiritual heritage.

Included in the registration price for the film festival will be a luncheon and a spaghetti dinner in the evening. All proceeds from the festival will benefit World Missions.

The Festival will be held at the Rumford Area Bible Speaks, Route 232, Rumford Corner.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Thursday, April 12: Bethel Area Hand Spinners, Linda Howe's, Northwest Bethel, 6:30 p. m. Call 836-3745 for information.

Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.
Supper 6:30, Meeting 7:30 p. m.
Friday, April 13: Dance at the Grange Hall on Rt. 219 in East Sumner. Live old time music by the Oxford County Stamp-Jumpers. Circles, Squares, Waitzes, Contras, Polkas, Fox Trots and More! No experience necessary. Donation requested.

Saturday, April 14: Woodstock Historical Society, Woodstock Elementary School, 7:00 p. m.
Monday, April 16, 7:30 p. m.: Shakespeare on Shakespeare, Duncan Inches in "A Little Touch of William in the Night." William Bingham Auditorium, Gould Academy.

Monday, Nov. 16: Bethel Selectmen's meeting, Town Office, 7:00.
Tuesday, Nov. 17: Rotary Club, Sudbury Inn, 12 noon.

Thursday, April 19: Windy Valley Snowmobile Club, Club House, Newry.

Friday, April 20: Mt. Abram Lodge, I.O.O.F., 7:30.

Ginger Kelly of Crane Associates in Bethel is the volunteer coordinator for the Community Calendar and will accept items to be listed by mail, phone, 824-2114, or in person at her office in the Cole Block in Bethel.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Pastor: Linwood Hanson
Sunday: 9:15 a. m. Sunday School, 10:30 a. m. Worship Service. 6:00 p. m. Lifeline for High Schoolers.
6:00 p. m. Evening Service.
Wednesday, Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.
Thursday, Awana Clubs: 2:30-4:00 for K thru Gr. 2; 6:00-8:00 for Gr. 3 thru Gr. 8.
Unitarian-Universalist
Bryant Pond
Services first Sunday of every month. For complete list of guest speakers write to Emily Packer, clerk, Unitarian Universalist Church, Bryant Pond, Me.

Newry Community Church
Newry, Maine
Rodney Hanscom, Pastor
Nancy Hanscom, Organist
Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00, with special service for children.
First Congregational Church of Christ
Andover
Rev. E. Marquette Churchill
Phone: Church 392-4678 Parsonage 392-3081
Organist and Choir Director, Linda Burnham
Sunday School Supmt., Paula P. Smith

Calvary Congregational Church
Route 5
Andover, Maine
Pastor: Donald Grover
Pianist: Mrs. Edna White
Choir Director: Carol Stuart
Sunday School Superintendent: Marjorie Stinson
Worship Service, 10:45.
Sunday School, 9:30.
Youth Group, 5:30.
Prayer and Praise, Wednesdays at 7:30 at the church.
Choir rehearsal, Wednesdays at 6:30.

St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church
116 Penobscot St.
Rumford, Maine
Sundays, 9:30 a. m., The Holy Eucharist.
Other services as announced.
The Rev. Jacqueline R. Merrill, 364-2193, 824-3169.

Rumford Area Bible Speaks
Pastor Bob Colby
At Faith Bible Church, Route 232, Rumford Corner:
10 a. m. Sunday School and Worship Service.
6 p. m. Sunday Youth Group.
7 p. m. Sunday Evening Service.
7 p. m. Wednesday Evening Service.
At 524 Prospect Ave., Rumford:
8 a. m., Mon.-Fri. Prayer and Devotional.
At Bethel - Women's Bible Study:
10 a. m. Eleanor Brooks' Home.

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church
David W. Helms, Pastor
Family Worship, 10:00 a. m. Church School, 10:00 a. m. South Waterford
United Methodist Church
David W. Helms, Pastor
Family Worship, 9:30 a. m.
Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.
Sunday, April 15: Subject: Doctrine of Atonement, Golden Text: I John 1:9. . . He that abideth in the doctrine of Christ, he hath both the Father and the Son.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m. and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years. The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Newry, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St. Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p. m. includes testimonies of healing.

OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH
Rev. Nancy Taylor
East Stoneham Congregational Church
9:00 a. m. Worship Service.
North Waterford Congregational Church
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.

Letters to the Editor

April 9, 1984
Ketchum, Maine

To the Editor:

Thanks to Jeff Mills for his column in your March 22 edition on low level radioactive waste. The column was factual, and a good summary of the general information contained in the report of the Low Level Waste Siting Commission to the Governor and Legislature. Unfortunately the column amounted to little more than that - a summary of the general information. Where our area may be directly affected by this low-level waste (we are still high on the list of prospective nuclear dump sites - make no mistake about this), I feel that more detailed information directly concerning area residents ought to have been included. The column did not even mention that our area has been screened for nuclear dumping!

The location in our area surveyed as a potential dump site is located next to Jordan Brook, which runs into the Sunday River from the South, close to the border of Riley Township (also known as Ketchum) and Newry. It is not far from the Sunday River Skiway. In the report, the location is given as rating of 7 (of a possible 8), meaning that it is considered by the State Geologist's Office to be very likely to contain a geological formation which would be good to bury nuclear waste in. The hope is that the clay content of the soil would hold seepage into the water table to a slow rate which would keep radioactivity from reaching dangerous levels. The report does not mention that this hope has never been realized in any dump site in similar soil conditions. There has always been a miserable history of leakage, poisoned water, plants, animals, and people, and enormous cleanup costs. Nor does it mention that no one has ever been able to determine that any certain kind of radioactivity can actually be considered "safe".

No final decisions have been made by the Commission, which may wait until 1986 to decide what method to recommend for dealing with low-level waste. We could still wind up in a multi-state compact which could ship huge quantities of deadly wastes, including entire dismantled reactors, from all over the Northeastern U. S. directly to Sunday River, including tons of wastes which can kill

at a few yards distance, and perhaps amounting to daily truckloads. I am painting a gruesome picture, which I realize is not considered likely at this point, but is still entirely possible.

Water is a major carrier of radioactive particles, and few places in the Northeast are wetter than the Sunday River Valley. Hunters should also realize that deer meat concentrates radioactivity. Hunting has been closed in a wide radius surrounding a nuclear dump in New York State because the deer were found to be too radioactive to be safe to eat. We must act now to insure that this Commission does not decide to bury these wastes in an area such as ours, but elects to hold them in an above-ground bunker designed to contain all leakage, until a safe disposal method can be found.

Our best tool with which we can influence them is the referendum drive initiated by the Maine Nuclear Referendum Committee, to give voters the right to accept or reject any plan put forth by the Commission. I have been working with the Referendum Committee to help initiate this drive. Already we see subtle signs that the Commission is listening more closely to us because of it. Much more help is needed, though. The Referendum Committee needs a lot of money to carry it through to completion. We are counting on people in the possible dump site areas to help. Contact Robin Fraser at 824-3361 to find out how you can join the monthly pledge campaign during the referendum drive or participate in other fund-raising efforts being planned.

Robin can also explain how you help gather the signatures needed to insure that the initiative will be placed on the ballot. We are planning to organize people from this area to travel to polling places around the nearby area and stay there during the primary voting on June 12 to see if we can gather all the needed signatures in one day. It would greatly simplify matters if we could gather them all at once in this fashion, especially since they must match the way the name is written on the voting list exactly, and each list of signatures must be broken down on the basis of where the signers vote.

We need your help with this! Come to the meeting on Saturday, April 14, at the Frasers' place in Newry and help us plan our strategy! I hope to see you there.

Sincerely,
Alva Morrison

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Bill Wood, portraying another of his characters—Frank the Good Food Friend, can be seen on Channel 10 on Fridays at 10:15 a. m. and 2:15 p. m.

Phyllis Blake, Sandra Clements, Alice Dixon, Kathy Hanscom, Alice Hoyt, Katie Kennagh, Linda Smith, Althea Stevens, Rose Sumner and Peggy Tripp.

The Superintendent was authorized to advertise for substitute personnel.

Any consideration on review of Board action of March 12 regarding the grading distribution system used in S.A.D. 44 was deferred until the matter is re-committed to the Education Committee for further study.

The Board set Monday, April 23, as the date for the annual School Board Orientation Workshop. The workshop is to start at 4 p. m., with a regular Board session to convene at about 7:30 that evening in the Telstar Library.

The resignations of Paris White and Jeanne Cole were accepted, effective at the close of the current school year. Mrs. White teaches kindergarten and special

education, and Mrs. Cole first grade at the Bethel Bethel School.

Jody Shimamura and Patricia Wiedler were approved as substitute teachers; Jody Shimamura, substitute bus driver; Ruth Bean, Crawford Perry and Ken Wheeler as substitute custodians.

Woodstock and Andover parents and citizens were encouraged to contact Board members representing their towns concerning any input they might desire in the selection process of a new principal for the Woodstock and Andover Elementary Schools.

All members of the Board were present with the exception of Rick McVey of Newry.

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Annual salary agreements were approved to the following, who are currently on second probationary status: Wendy R. Driscoll and Daniel O. Hart.

Annual salary agreements for the 1984-85 school year were approved for 61 S.A.D. 44 staff members currently on continuing contract.

Any action concerning the appointment of a temporary Buildings and Grounds Supervisor was tabled until the next regular meeting of the Board. Patrick A. Hemingway was approved as a custodian at the Telstar complex.

Substitute food services personnel was approved as follows:

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"How will the April 1, 1984, valuation be applied?" Assessors are presently reviewing properties with particular emphasis on property where changes have been made in the past year. New valuations will be applied to July 1, 1984 to June 30, 1985, tax bills.

"After the transition period, what tax schedule should I plan for?" In June of this year, a Town Meeting will enact a 12-month budget for municipal services. Tax bills will then be calculated and, pursuant to the Nov. 1, 1983, Town Meeting vote, payable in two semi-annual installments. The proposed due dates before interest on taxes start for the next municipal accounting year are Nov. 15, 1984, and May 15, 1985. Additional information will be provided in future editions of this column.

The next regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen will be Monday, April 16, at 7 p. m. in the Town Office meeting room. A major agenda item will be interviews of candidates for committee and board positions.

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for paying transition period tax bills is between April 16 and May 15, 1984. After May 15 "interest rate of 1.25 per month shall be charged on the unpaid balance," according to article 18 of the Town Meeting warrant.

"What valuation was used to compute my taxes?" The April 1, 1983, valuation was used to compute transition period tax bills. The reason for this is that the Maine Bureau of Taxation considers our transition period as the last portion on an 18-month 1983 tax period and therefore, the April 1, 1983, valuation was used to calculate transition period tax bills.

"What is the transition period tax rate?" The transition period tax rate was set at \$10 tax per \$1,000 of valuation, slightly less than one-half of last year's tax rate (\$10.75).

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P-8123-000 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION Notice of Application Filed with the Commission (March 20, 1984)

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and is available for public inspection:

- Type of Application: Preliminary Permit.
- Project No.: 8123-000
- Date Filed: February 22, 1984
- Applicant: Paris Hydro Associates.
- Name of Project: Billings.
- Location: Little Androscoggin River, Town of South Paris, Oxford County, Maine.
- Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. §791 (a)-(825(r)).
- Contact Person: Mr. David M. Coombe, Synergies, Inc., 410 Severn Avenue, Suite 409, Annapolis, Maryland 21403.

Comment Date: May 21, 1984
Description of Project: The proposed project would consist of: (1) an existing 150-foot-long, 12-foot-high masonry dam with a concrete cap; (2) an existing 11-acre reservoir with a normal maximum water surface elevation of 345.0 feet M.S.L. and no usable storage capacity; (3) a new powerhouse located at the east dam abutment containing turbine-generators with a total rated capacity of 170 KW; (4) a 50-foot-long, 12.5-KV transmission line; and (5) appurtenant facilities. The project would generate up to 850,000 kWh annually. The dam is owned by the Town of South Paris, Maine.

Purpose of Project: Energy produced at the project would be sold to Central Maine Power Company.

This notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs:

A5, A7, A9, B, C, and D2.

Proposed Scope and Cost of Studies under Permit: A preliminary permit does not authorize construction. A permit, if issued, gives the permittee, during the term of the permit, the right of priority of application for license.

Applicant seeks issuance of a preliminary permit for a period of 18 months, during which time it would perform surveys and geologic investigations, determine the economic feasibility of the project, reach final agreement on sale of project power, secure financing commitments, consult with Federal, State and local government agencies concerning the potential environmental effects of the project, and prepare an application for an FERC license, including an environmental report. Applicant estimates the cost of the work under the permit would be \$36,000.

A5. Preliminary Permit: Existing Dam or Natural Water Feature Project—Anyone desiring to file a competing application for a proposed project at an existing dam or natural water feature project, must submit the competing application to the Commission on or before 30 days after the specified comment date for the particular application (see 18 CFR 4.30 to 4.33 (1982)).

A notice of intent to file a competing application for preliminary permit will not be accepted for filing.

A competing preliminary permit application must conform with 18 CFR 4.33(a) and (d).

A7. Preliminary Permit—Except as provided in the following paragraph, a qualified license, conduit exemption, or small hydroelectric exemption applicant desiring to file a competing application must submit to the Commission, on or before the specified comment date for the particular application, either a competing license, conduit exemption, or small hydroelectric exemption application or a notice of intent to file such an application. Submission of a timely notice of intent to file a license, conduit exemption, or small hydroelectric exemption application allows an interested person to file the competing application no later than 120 days after the specified comment date for the particular application.

In addition, any qualified license or conduit exemption applicant desiring to file a competing application may file the subject application until: (1) a preliminary permit with which the subject license or conduit exemption application would compete is issued; or (2) the earliest specified comment date for any license, conduit exemption, or small hydroelectric exemption application with which the subject license or conduit exemption application would compete; whichever occurs first.

A competing license application must conform with 18 CFR 4.33(a) and (d).

A9. Notice of Intent—A notice of intent must specify the exact name, business address, and telephone number of the prospective applicant, include an unequivocal statement of intent to submit if such an application may be filed, either (1) a preliminary permit application or (2) a license, small hydroelectric exemption, or conduit exemption application, and be served on the applicant(s) named in this public notice.

B. Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene—Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a

motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 C.F.R. §§385.210, 211, 214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding.

Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

C. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must be in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS," "NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE A COMPETING APPLICATION," "PROTEST," or "MOTION TO INTERVENE," as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing is in response.

Any of the above named documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies required by the Commission's regulations to: Kenneth F. Plumb, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 825 North Capitol Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

Springer, Deputy Director, Project Management, Division of Hydro-Regulatory Licensing, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Room 208 RB at the above address. A copy of any notice of intent, competing application or motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

D2. Agency Comments—Federal, State, and local agencies are invited to file comments on the described application. (A copy of the application may be obtained by agencies directly from the Applicant.) If an agency does not file comments within the time specified for filing comments, it will be presumed to have no comments. One copy of an agency's comments must also be sent to the Applicant's representatives.

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Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

There was no school last Friday due to the high water.

Congratulations, Elisha!

Happy Birthday, Marian! and congratulations on your new grandson born last week to Mr. and Mrs. John Connolly, and on your new great granddaughter born to Mrs. Thomas and Susan Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons were in Bridgton Saturday to attend funeral services for a friend, a former telephone company employee.

Lawrence Kimball has tapped a few trees and is making a little syrup.

"When it comes to used cars it's hard to drive a bangain."

Albany HUNT'S CORNER

— Kathy Bennett, Corres. —

It is a very chilly April morning—almost can see the tulips shivering!

Sarah Andrews spent Sunday with her daughter, Shirley Corbett, in South Paris.

Elna and Albert McAllister were isolated a few hours as their road washed out.

Recent callers at the Barton Farm have been Roger and Yvette Barton, Yvette's mother, Elsie

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East Stoneham

— Gladys Kilgore, Corres. —

Mrs. Grace Nelson took me to see my doctor in Harrison, Tuesday.

The Diaconate met at the home of Mrs. Helen Grover, Wednesday evening.

The Friendly Senior Citizens held their meeting here at the Church Vestry Wednesday. A corn chowder was served at noon with sandwiches. Proceeds from the dinner went to the church.

Mrs. Gertrude Yemma visited Mrs. Iva Fox in Lovell one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Nelson went to Conway one day last week. Helen and Mary Grover went to Norway shopping Thursday. Helen visited her sister, Margaret, while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grant went to Lewiston Saturday and had dinner at one of the restaurants.

Boudard, and Grampa Frank Barton, Charlie and Edith Barton, Saturday, Margaret Barton, Jeff Barton and Howard Thurston went shopping in Auburn. Saturday night Franklin and Margaret and Bill and Yvonne Robinson went bowling.

Baob and Howard Inman called on Richard and Hilda Stevens on Saturday evening.

Week end callers at the home of Fred and Lib Sorbier were son, Dale and friend, Kathleen. They attended the Portland Symphony on Saturday evening and went out to dinner with Dale and Mary Ellen Sorbier.

Recent visitors at the home of Hugh and Edith Stearns have been Frank Howard, Mike Inman, Dean Peaco, Barbara Inman and Kathy Bennett.

Lorrie Hodgdon celebrated her birthday on Saturday with her family and her mother and father-in-law, Kay and Lon Hodgdon. Other callers at Esther Rugg's have been April Edwards and Allan, Dave and Edith Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Davis, and Carol and Erlon Rugg.

As usual it was a hectic week at K-D's Acres. Monday we had a great turn out for the Circle meeting. There will be an Easter Sunrise service at 6 p.m. at the Albany Church and a breakfast at 6:30.

Wednesday evening Dick attended a concert at Telstar in which David Bennett played in the Band and Jazz Band. Danny Bennett has been spending a few days with his grandmother in Bryant Pond. Friday evening we played cards with Flo and Warren Cairns and Margaret and Franklin Barton. Saturday we called on Arnie Nutting, then went on to Bryant Pond for supper.

Chris and Elton Cole, Kay Billings, my mother, Eva Twitchell, and Dick and I attended the King and I at Oxford Hills.

Doug Bennett spent Friday night with his friend, Robbie, at Songo Pond. Saturday night Doug, Dave and Jim Barton went to Conway to see the race cars on display there.

Sunday, Dick and I and Flo and Warren Cairns went to Conway for lunch and did some shopping.

Callers here during the week have been Russ and Darlene Nutting, and Jeff Barton.

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— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

Probably my crust walking is over for this year. I took three before the rain came.

As I walked through the field the shade by the wall had the same pale amethyst quality as the evening sky.

The silence was profound and I stopped to look around. I noticed a dead leaf hanging near a boulder, twisted, from a twig. As I drew nearer it turned out to be sewn together with silk. It was a cradle of a spring's moth, now hanging in the open pupa. It was protected from the cold of winter not so much by the flimsy leaf, as by the nature of body fluids. They contain so little water that they are like a thick unfreezing syrup. Even so, many do not survive the winter. Birds and tiny white footed mice, when stomachs are pinched with hunger, seek out these tiny bundles and eat them.

Further on I slipped and grabbed a stump; more signs of life. A chunk of bark came off and a little shower of sleepers covered the snow. There were flies, spiders, little beetles and one caterpillar.

A dried goldenrod at the base of the stump displayed a gall about half way up the stem. This was the home of a grub of the goldenrod fly. Sometimes a tiny wasp stings this home and it utilizes the tissue of the unwilling host to tide it over winter.

Going to a road in the forest, I noticed the trees wearing lacy forethoughts of leaves. There was a quietness here like a kitten asleep, waiting to be awakened.

Here I found a stream that twinkled and sang. I was reminded of a paragraph written by one of my school boys many years ago. It fits the fall season best but I recall it often when visiting a brook.

"It was by luck that I found it, a small brook gurgling along its obstinate way, stopped by nothing. In places it was almost hidden by a cargo of golden red, and brown leaves. This brook lost in September was enjoying its last freedom before being frozen in December."

Nothing here had a dollar or cent sign on it. I found what some would never find if they stumbled across it; purpose and meaning in a variety of freedom.

Everyone knows the change that came in mid-week; rain charging down the valley on a million patterning feet. Lakes developed in the fields with magical swiftness. Streams filled every swale transforming the landscape into some-

thing unexpected. The skies surely were in great sorrow. They wept and wept! High water everywhere.

Some of the dirt roads, especially, lost their identities. They oozed and blended into the rest of the earth. The culverts and ditches did their best to carry off away from the road surfaces but the rushing water chose to cut directly across and on hills to run straight down. This situation held inconvenience to some but also caused some excitement. Our road commissioner and road crew lost no time in getting out and busy. They scraped and graded and added gravel but found it hard to keep up.

But enjoy it—it is spring! That is the only way to serenely—enjoy life's pluses instead of dreading its minuses.

Fay Holt had the members of the Club at her house last Monday. We were sorry that Anna Jaarvempa was ill so couldn't be with us.

David Holt, Dexter, Robert Holt, Winslow, Ann Holt, Bethel, were at home on Tuesday to attend the funeral service for Rena Bacon. Leonas and Fay Holt, Doris Hayes, John and Dot Betts, Clyde and I also attended.

Verna Libby and Lenora Waterhouse visited their sister, Doris Hayes, over the week end. They also called on Fay Holt.

Mrs. Colista Stevens and son, Troy, Freeport, visited her father and mother, Fred and Rena Curtis on Saturday.

Doris Hayes attended the bowling banquet in South Paris on Saturday evening. She received a trophy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mills of Shapleigh, visited at the home of Frank and Dot Curtis and called to see us on Sunday afternoon.

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**WORLD WAR I AUXILIARY
#2943 MET APRIL 4**

The World War I Auxiliary #2943 held their spring meeting Wednesday, April 4, at the Legion Hall. It was preceded by the usual pot luck dinner served at noon. There were 14 seated at the table including one guest, Jeri Brooks, State President of the American Legion Auxiliary, who spoke briefly.

The meeting opened at 1:30 with President Maud Danforth presiding, two officers were absent by roll call. A silent prayer was held for Mabel Rybertson who was a member of W.W.I.'s. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved. Olive Head, Sunshine Chairman, gave her report of 40 cards that were sent during the winter. The Auxiliary is now 100% in membership.

It was announced that the State Convention will be held at the U. of M., Farmington, June 14-15, also the Council April 27, will also be held in Farmington. Articles for the gift table will be appreciated. Election of officers was also on the agenda and installation will be held at the May 2 meeting.

Trustees for 1984 are Bessie Pope, Iola Forbes, and Olive Head. Frances Bennett, Legislative Chairman, read an article on a bill for W.W.I. veterans. The committee for May 2 is Rose Taylor, Hilda Donahue and Maud Danforth.

NEWS FROM TROOP 565

On Wednesday evening, March 28, Troop 565, Boy Scouts, held their regular meeting with Larry Anderson opening in form with the Pledge of Allegiance, Scout Oath, and Scout Law.

Gideon Dorman was inducted into the Boy Scouts. Gideon's mother and brother were invited to share the ceremony with him. Congratulations, Gideon.

Special guest Tim Parent, Commissioner of the Snowshoe District, brought slides to show on the 1985 National Scout Jamboree, to be held at Ft. A. P. Hill, Va., which really excited the Scouts.

There were skill awards given: Bruce Korhonen, Family Living; John Eliot, Cooking.

Plans are underway for a busy spring and summer with Scouts taking part in the Spring Camporee in May, as well as two summer camps, one at Camp Hinds, Raymond, Maine, the other at Camp Bonanza on the Belgrade Lakes, Maine.

On April 4, Troop 565 held their regular meeting with opening ceremonies at 7 p. m. Prior to this meeting the Patrol Leaders and assistants, Jeff Boyle, Scott Sumner, Jeff Lyon, Chris Hanscom, John Eliot and Tim Roberts met to organize their patrols.

"Blackie" Cummings worked with some of the Scouts on orienteering, compass and map work. The Eagle Patrol put on a skit and furnished the refreshments.

Brenda Taylor who will be counselling some Scouts on four merit badges, was present.

Next week the Troop is meeting at the newly located Lions Den, formerly I.O.O.F. Hall.

Meeting closed at 9:00. Refreshments enjoyed by all.

Would you like a pleasant surprise? Next time you're in the Bethel area try shopping at the interesting shops and stores that are in town. The wide selection and reasonable prices will make you smile.

**NEWS FROM ADULT AND
COMMUNITY EDUCATION**

Fitness classes will be offered in Bethel and in Andover to help residents get in shape for spring and summer. Sue Farrar will be starting a new session of Aerobic Dance and Exercise classes which meet at the Childrens Dance Theatre for both morning and evening sessions starting April 16. Those interested in signing up may phone Mrs. Farrar at 824-2030 for further details on the schedule.

In Andover, Carol Emery will begin a new 6-week session on Monday and Thursday evenings at the Andover Elementary School Gym, featuring one class in dance and the other in exercise. Those enrolling may select one or both classes, and should call Mrs. Emery, 392-3161 to sign up.

An early morning Walking Fitness program will begin on April 16 in Bethel, with Merton Brown leading an early morning program on Monday through Friday mornings at 6:15, leaving from the Bethel Library on the Common in Bethel for 45 minutes. There will be no charge for this cooperatively-run program.

Newry

— Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. —

Karlene Bachelder, Eleanor Morton, June Swan, Ann Withers, Betsy Clark, Gilberto Seely and Olive Anderson were in Ramford, bowling, April 4. Karlene Bachelder was high scorer.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover, Hollis, are spending the week at the Hanscom house.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Baker and family, Hanover, and Donald Hayner, Greenwood, visited Mary Tripp Sunday.

Mary Tripp visited her grandson, Danny Baker, Hanover, Wednesday.

The names of Ida and Marlene Powers were omitted from the list of those sending gifts to Wendy Hanscom's shower, March 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Powers and family, Norway, were dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Powers, Sunday.

The subject of Pastor Hanscom's sermon Sunday was "The Grace of God", with the scripture from the First Corinthians, Chapter 5. Olive Anderson led the Children's service.

Willard and Sylvia Wight joined a bird watching tour to Scarborough Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brooke and family, Augusta, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wight on Sunday.

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Not as bright and shining as I thought it was supposed to be. Guess the weather man can't always get the right weather prediction any better than the rest of us can.

Monday night was Grange at Bryant Pond, so Russell and I got up grumpily enough to go. It was C.W.A. meeting and we had been asked to help out with the program and I was asked to be one of the officers. Was glad we went as we had a real good time. It always seems like going home when we go up there because, of course, that is where we went to school and started Grange there.

We have been painting the mobile home walls and Tuesday, we really went to town on it. Only stopped long enough to get some lunch. We had our separate buckets and with only a little left in each, we thought we would go until they were empty, never dreaming how far that was going to be. It seems amazing at times, how little paint it takes to cover quite a territory. We like what we have done and feel sure it will take away a lot of the formaldehyde that has been so bad.

Wednesday was Fryeburg day as usual and as we wanted to go before going to Fryeburg, we were up and out of the house early. I didn't feel like painting anyway, had done too much the day before and it was telling on me. Called to see if our lineum had come, but was told it hadn't and would have to wait another week.

That is what makes life discouraging at times. You get your hopes up that you are going to get a room done and have it look good and the stuff you order doesn't come. Sure hope it comes soon so we can get the living room looking like one, instead of such a mess.

Russell is thinking about a garden, even though we may have to have it at our niece's home up the road a ways. He has more seed catalogs than one can shake a stick at, but enjoys looking them over to see all the new varieties of things that come out each year. He may go to sleep reading them, but he still enjoys them a lot.

I stayed home Thursday to keep the home company while Russell went shopping. He had several places to go and I didn't care whether I went or not, so stayed home and did a little of nothing. Just had gotten over all the painting I had done on Tuesday. Bet I know better than to paint as long the next time.

Saturday wasn't a day for being outside at all, so we started painting the hall and got quite a lot.

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Tri-Town members are planning their every member canvass between April 16 and April 30. Expect to see someone at your door for this one-time donation. Extra newsletters can be received from Mary Emery at Emery's Building Materials in West Paris.

E.M.T. refresher course is scheduled to begin on April 16 on Monday and Wednesday nights. Five Tri-Town members are plan-

ning to update their training with this course. Tri-Town expresses feeling of regret to Buzzy and Roenell Cummings for the damage that was sustained to their trailer during the recent flooding.

Safety Tip of the Week
This will be the first in a series on what to do if you are involved in a car accident or see one occur. The first priority in a car accident is to check for injuries. A bystander can do a lot to save a life by simply calming down a person involved in an accident. The best way to stop bleeding is by direct pressure on the place that is bleeding. It does not have to be a sterile ambulance or hospital dressing. The person can often help to hold a dressing in place if you need to call for additional help. Often you can get someone else to call the Sheriff's Dept. for assistance.

The second important point is not to move the patient. Someone better trained to look for injuries can make the decision to move a patient into an ambulance without aggravating further injuries. Naturally this rule is set aside when the person is in actual danger, like a car about to explode, or a fire.

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MRS. CHRISTINE G. GROVER

Mrs. Christine G. Grover of Bethel passed away Saturday, April 7, 1984, at Chestnut Hill Benevolent Association, Chestnut Hill, Mass.

She was born Sept. 17, 1919, in New Haven, Conn., the daughter of William and Christina Campbell Gutherie. She attended Northfield Academy, graduated from Hamden High School and Larson's Junior College, all in Connecticut. She was married to John T. Grover March 2, 1943 and the family moved to Bethel in 1967. Mrs. Grover was a life member of the Bethel Historical Society, a member of Norway Christian Science Society, and a member of The First Church of Christ Scientist, Boston, Mass.

Survivors include her husband; four daughters, Christine Larson, Bethel, Sandra Verkuille, South Paris, Linda Morgan and Donna Remington, both of Albany; one brother, William V. Gutherie of Atlanta, Ga.; 11 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Memorial services will be held Thursday, April 12, at 2 p. m. at West Bethel Union Church. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Chestnut Hill Benevolent Association, 910 Boylston Street, Chestnut Hill, Mass. 02167.

MAURICE E. BEAUPRE

Maurice E. Beaupre of Songo Pond Road, Bethel, died Tuesday, April 10, 1984, at the Togus Veterans Administration Hospital after a long illness.

He was born in Berlin, N. H., Aug. 25, 1924, the son of Frank and Mathilda Rabidas Beaupre. He had been employed for many years in the shoe industry and local dowl manufacturing plants. He was an Army veteran of World War II and a member of Mount Allen Post American Legion #81.

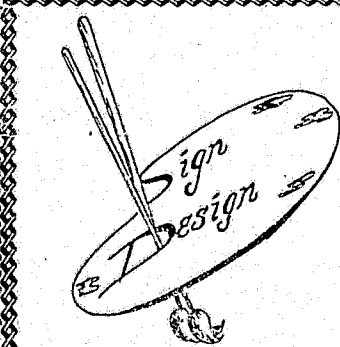
Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Marie Horne, Rochester, N. H., five sisters, one brother and several grandchildren.

Funeral prayers with military honors will be held at Maine Veterans Memorial Chapel, Augusta, Friday at 1:30 p. m. Please omit flowers.

**NOTES FROM THE BETHEL LIONS DEN**

On Sunday, April 8, the Bethel Lions Club held its first Cribbage Tournament at the Lions Den, Main Street. The turn-out was not as high as expected, but fun and enjoyment was had by all that played, and many asked the Lions Club to do it again. We must admit there were a few loose ends in our organization of the tournament, but this was our first attempt.

The winners of this tournament were as follows: 1st place went to Steve and Esther White of Gorham, N. H.; 2nd place, Wanda Johnson, Bryant Pond, and Jody Kimball, Bethel; 3rd place, G. A. Smith and Frank Gibson, Bethel. The Lions Club will be sponsoring another tournament in May, date to be announced, so be watching. A cribbage tournament of this type guarantees an afternoon of fun and laughs, the making of new ones. So all you cribbage players be watching for the date, come out and play and enjoy the fun and friendship.



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RENA B. BACON

Mrs. Rena V. Bacon of West Paris passed away at the Victorian Villa Nursing Home in Canton on Sunday, April 1, following a long period of failing health.

She was born at Greenwood on May 14, 1901, the daughter of Ewell and Mae Cummings Swan. She was educated in Greenwood schools. She was married to Ralph A. Bacon in October, 1927 and made her home in West Paris all of her married life. She was employed by Penley Brothers in West Paris for several years, and later worked as a cook in boarding homes in Lewiston, Portland and Norway. Her husband died on April 17, 1952. Mrs. Bacon attended the West Paris Universalist Church. She is survived by a son, Vance of West Paris; two grandchildren; and a great granddaughter.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, April 3, at the Andrews funeral home, South Woodstock. Entombment was at Wayside Cemetery receiving vault with interment in the spring at Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN MET APRIL 5 AT THE CHURCH

The United Methodist Women held their April 5th meeting in the Church annex. Recognition awards and pins were presented to Muriel Faudi and Ethel Ward by Vice President Lyndell Carter. These awards were for service and performing outstanding duties for the United Methodist Church.

Ethelyn Wight demonstrated making beautiful Easter decorations. There was a lovely assortment of table decorations as well as corsages. Very delicious refreshments were served by hostess Sally Downing.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH

Annual meeting of West Bethel Union Church will be held at 7 p. m., Thursday, April 12. Chapel Aid meeting has been postponed to Wednesday, April 18 at 7:30 p. m.

Holy Week will be observed with special services in the Bethel Churches beginning Sunday, April 15, as follows:

Thursday, April 19, at Congregational Church, Bethel.

Friday, April 20, at the United Methodist Church, Bethel.

Easter Sunrise Service at 6 a. m. at Albany.

Easter Sunrise Service at Barker Mountain at 6:30 a. m. Breakfast, following each Sunrise Service.

Regular worship will be at 9:15 a. m. at West Bethel Union Church Easter Sunday.

Four members of the Church Choir joined the Church on Sunday morning, April 8. Members joining were Laurie Littlefield, Monse, Tracy Kimball, and Jane and Marietta Head.

DIED

In Canton, April 1, Mrs. Rena V. Bacon, of West Paris, aged 82 years.

In Chestnut Hill, Mass., April 7, Mrs. Christine G. Grover of Bethel, aged 64 years.

In Togus, April 10, Maurice E. Beaupre, of Bethel, aged 59 years.

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REPORT OF THE BETHEL COMMON FOUNTAIN FUND

The Fund Raising Committee for a Fountain on the Bethel Common reports that contributions have been received from Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carver, Harold Carver & Son Contractors, Louise Lincoln, Norma Jodrey, Newton & Tebbets, Inc., Thompson's Bethel Mall, Mary B. Tripp, The Brass Buckle, The Fashion Basket, Michelle Farrar Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brooks (Brooks Bros. Inc.), Charlie's Chevron, Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Ames, Dr. and Mrs. James Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Young, L. E. Davis Lumber Co., Inc., Barbara D. Brown, Ivy C. Philbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall, Citizen Printers Inc., Edna York, Mr. and Mrs. Barlow Keniston, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ramage, Pearlina McMillan, and Marguerite Hall McNally.

Total contributions as of April 10 total \$890 toward a goal of \$2,500.

The Committee hopes all those who have promised to support this fund will continue to send their contributions to Mary C. Keniston, Treas. for the Bethel Common Fountain Fund, P. O. Box 212, Bethel, Maine 04217.

Mrs. Iva Hutchinson is a patient at Maine Medical Center, Portland.

Mrs. Henry Trimback of North Waterford entertained Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith of Bethel at a lovely dinner and afternoon visit on Sunday. Also visiting at Mrs. Trimback's were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heath, Lovell; Barbara Millett, North Waterford; Henrietta Lovejoy and daughter, Debra, of Fryeburg.

RETIRED TEACHERS TO MEET IN MEXICO APRIL 14

The Oxford County Retired Teachers will meet on Saturday, April 14, at the Mexico Congregational Church. The social hour starts at 10:30, business meeting at 11:15. The program will be on Blue Cross-Blue Shield and the Companion Plan. Fund raiser is a \$1 donation. '14-15

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COUNTY CONFERENCE

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Lowe of Mountain Valley Training and Betsy Lane of the Displaced Homemakers Project teamed to present information on employment and the family. Rev. Dan Knock of South Paris and Thom Frye of Tri-County Mental Health offered concrete suggestions to a large group of participants on ways to build family strengths.

A dynamic team made up of Jean Litchfield, a counselor in private practice, Priscilla Hotte of SAD 17, Rev. Don Patterson of Sumner, and John Coffey of the Western Maine Regional Council on Alcoholism offered a double session on the Effects of Alcohol on the Family.

Juvenile Intake Worker for Oxford County Frank Adams and South Paris Attorney John Jamess covered the topic of the Legal System and Youth; Probation and Parole, describing the procedures in use with those under 18.

Additional morning workshops were The Single Parent Family, Child Abuse and Neglect, and the Judicial and Legislative Response to Family Violence.

Dr. Elizabeth Marks of the University of Maine at Farmington addressed the participants prior to the afternoon workshops, identifying changing family patterns in the 1980's from a sociological perspective. Sessions following were drug and Alcohol Enforcement with Youth, the Experience of Substance Abuse Treatment and Post-Treatment, Identifying rape and Incest Victims in School age Children, Family Stress, and current Legislative Issues Impacting the Family, the Status of Drug and Alcohol Teams in Oxford County, the Problem of Family violence, Aggressive Adolescents and a Wrap-Up session.

The geographical spread of participants covered the county including individuals and groups from Hiram to Peru, and Oxford to Rumford. A group of teachers from the Somerset County Basic Skills program traveled to attend, as did Robert Curran of the Department of Education and Cultural Services. Local elected officials in attendance were Representatives Sue Bell of South Paris and Jeff Mills of Bethel, as well as Representative Ruth Foster of Ellsworth who was a presenter.

SAD 44 Adult and Community Education Director Cathy Newell expressed thanks on behalf of the planning committee to the presenters who gave of their time to be part of the conference, and also mentioned that the planning committee was delighted with the 60% increase in attendance over Conference I held at Telstar in 1983.

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The Greenwood and Finlandia Scholarship applications are now available from Greenwood school directors or the Telstar Regional High School guidance office. They must be returned by May 1. Greenwood S.A.D. 44 directors are John Haines, Sylvia Cross and Harry Swan Jr.

The Ladies Circle will meet on Wednesday, April 18, at 1:30 at the Sunday School room. All ladies of the community are invited to attend.

Maundy Thursday services will be held at the Mission Congregational Church, West Paris. The Locke Mills Church has been invited to participate in the readings and the choir. The Easter Cantata will be Saturday, April 21 at 7 p. m. Easter Sunrise services will be held at 5 a. m. in the cemetery followed by breakfast at 6 and a mission film at 7 o'clock. Morning worship and Sunday School will be held at their regular hours.

Next Monday, April 16, Rev. Michael Caldwell will be running in the Boston Marathon. Pledges he has received will benefit the Peace Fund and the Sunday School Fund.

Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall, a former resident of Bethel and Locke Mills, will celebrate her 100th birthday, April 18, and would enjoy cards. Her address is St. Vincent De Paul Nursing Facility, Berlin, N. H. 03570.

A meeting is tentatively scheduled for May 9 at the Town Hall for those interested in getting a library started. Anyone willing to chair the committee or help in any way is asked to contact Rev. Mike Caldwell.

Lawrence Mason of Victorian Villa Boarding Home, Canton, Maine 04221, is confined with a ruptured disk in his back. Cards would be appreciated.

Leslie Mason, Portland, spent the week end with his aunt, Dora Dingley, West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and

Rotary Club News

The regular luncheon meeting of the Bethel Rotary Club was held at the Sudbury Inn on April 10. The program chairman at this meeting was Lennie Shaw, and his guest speaker was Den Corrin, a licensed psychologist, who works with mental health programs, and has other personal interest projects to complete. Den had the Rotarians concentrate on his presentation, through hypnosis, to mentally instill the will to carry through on goals suggested for self-improvement and accomplishment. A most interesting program.

Topics of Rotary information were given by Romeo Baker. Also, the development of the sugar/syrup making industry, cabin construction, etc., was talked about.

The recommendations of the Service Directors for the plans and objectives of the Club for the 1984-85 term have been submitted. This input was needed for use prior to the District Assembly to be held in Waterville on April 14. Members will be departing from John Head's at 6:45 a. m. on that day.

Guests joining with the Club were: Martin Mendoza, guest of Bill Judson; and Den Corrin, guest of Ted Chadbourne.

Lennie Shaw, Rotary representative, met with the Bethel Lions Club's Mollycoddle Day planning committee a few days ago. Mollycoddle Day will be held on July 21 this year.

Veronica Melville attended an international missionary supper at the Bethel Church of the Nazarene Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham is still recuperating from her severe cold. Mrs. John Mills spent Monday evening visiting with Mrs. Ersel Murphy, Bethel.

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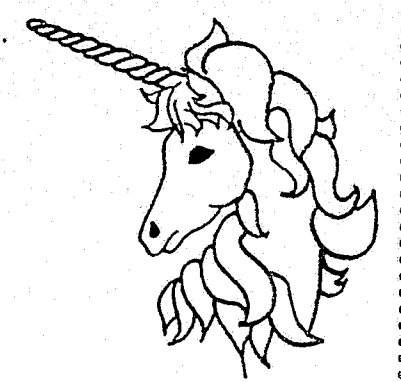
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